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CEMENT VS WOOD

Increasing Use of Cement as a Building Material.

The relation between the increasing use of cement and the diminishing timber supply in the United States has been the subject of some interesting correspondence between the Geological Survey and the Forest Service at Washington. In a letter to the Forester, the Director of the Survey took occasion to quote from a statement of a large Philadelphia firm to the effect that it would be difficult to estimate what the additional drain on the lumber supply would have been during the last few years had not cement come into such general use. The Forester replied in part as follows:

"The Forest Service is watching with a great deal of interest the increasing use of cement and other substitutes for wood. They are undoubtedly having some influence on the price of lumber, though I do not think that up to the present time they have greatly retarded the advance in lumber prices. The fact is that our industrial progress has been so great that our requirements for every kind of structural material have increased tremendously. We are using at the present time more lumber per capita than ever before and probably twice as much per capita as we did fifty years ago. The conclusion can not be escaped, therefore, that in the future we must depend more than in the past on other materials than wood for certain purposes at least. As to the increase that will take place in the production of cement, my impression is that this will be very great."

If the increase in the use of cement in the United States in the past years is to be regarded as any index to its future use, the conclusions of the Forester are well founded. The statistics of the production of minerals show that our output of cement has more than doubled in the last five years, and it is well known that its use is being very widely extended. This is due to two conditions: In the first place, excellent cement materials are common in almost all sections of the country; in the second place, reinforced concrete for heavy building material is receiving increased favor among engineers, while in the country regions large amounts of cement are being used for building blocks for smaller structures. Reports received by the Survey during the six years from 1902 to 1907 show that the production of cement in the United States has increased from 25,000,000 barrels, valued at approximately \$25,000,000, to 51,000,000 barrels, valued at \$55,000,000, the annual statistics showing a steady increase in production with some slight fluctuations in price.

Plenty Left.

The Seymour REPUBLICAN says that thousand turkeys have been shipped from Seymour this season already for the eastern Thanksgiving trade. From this it would seem that Jackson county people are likely to confine themselves to chicken or rabbit potpie this year on the day that most of us consider turkey not only a luxury, but an absolute necessity to the perfect enjoyment of the feast.—Bedford Democrat.

Sprenger's barber shop is the best.

MINERAL PRODUCTS

Statistics Compiled by the Geological Survey.

The growth of the mineral industries of the United States is graphically exhibited by a chart just issued by the Geological Survey, tabulating for each year of the last decade the quantity and value of the output of our metallic and nonmetallic mineral products.

This chart shows that in 1898 the domestic production of the metals—pig iron, silver, gold, copper, lead, zinc, quicksilver, aluminum, antimony, nickel, and platinum—had a total value of \$305,482,183; in the same year the total value of the other mineral products amounted to \$418,790,671; the grand total for the country in 1898 was therefore \$724,272,854. Ten years later, at the close of the calendar year 1907, the value of the metals had increased to \$903,024,005, that of the other products to \$1,166,265,191, and the grand total was \$2,069,289,196.

The chart has great interest and value in connection with a summary of the mineral production of the country, published by the Survey as an advance chapter from "Mineral Resources of the United States, Calendar Year 1907," and copies of both the chart and the summary may be obtained by applying to the Director of the Survey at Washington, D. C. The Survey has also published for free distribution separate chapters of its annual report on the mineral resources of the country, giving detailed statistics of many of the products that make up these totals.

Silver Spoons.

It has been brought to our notice that certain unscrupulous dealers in Seymour have been palming off on their customers some very cheap and unaccountable spoons in redeeming our silver spoon coupons found in all sacks of flour of our manufacture. This is not only a great injustice to these storekeepers' patrons, but also to ourselves, for, it is our desire that every user of Copyright, Best Patent and Success flour shall receive the solid silver spoons of the beautiful "Wild Rose" design of the Oneida Community.

If any user of our flour feels that she has been imposed upon in this way, she would confer a favor upon us by letting us know of it. In the future should you not be entirely satisfied with the spoons your grocer gives you for our coupons, we wish you would call at our mill office, or at music store of Weithoff & Kernan where coupons will be redeemed in accordance with our advertisement and satisfaction guaranteed.

These spoons are heavily silver plated and are manufactured especially for us by the famous Oneida Community, Niagara Falls, N. Y., and are put out under their guarantee for five years. They would make splendid Christmas presents and we invite your inspection of them on exhibition at your grocer's or at the music store.

BUSH MILLING CO.

Leave orders for your Thanksgiving turkey at Grelle's meat market. Phone 27. n21d

All leading grocers handle Becker Bros. celebrated Graham Flour, buckwheat.

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THE THREE "R'S"

Comparison of School Work Sixty Years Ago.

There is a sort of a feeling of unrest among people generally, and among school men particularly regard to the results obtained in the fundamental branches taught in our schools. In other words, we try to teach so many things that many believe the results obtained in the "Three R's" are not what we should desire. But when we come to compare results obtained when the "Three R's" formed the major part of the curriculum with the results obtained now we move up from the valley to a place at least on the side of the mountain.

An interesting experiment was tried in the Springfield, Mass., schools in 1905-06. This experiment created much interest in educational circles. The points of the experiment are substantially as follows: In the summer of 1905 an old building was being razed and in the attic was found the examination questions and papers prepared by the pupils of the first year high school in arithmetic, spelling and geography in the year 1846. The identical questions were used in the year 1905-06 with same grade of pupils. The results are interesting and are as follows:

	1846	1905-06
Spelling av, per cent.	40.6	51.2
Arithmetic "	29.4	65.5
Geography "	40.3	53.4

The Hub Business.

The Travis Carter Company will make hub blocks again this season and will begin work on the same about the first of January. Already timber has been delivered here for about fifty thousand blocks. About all the available space is taken around the mill and the timber is now being unloaded on the vacant lots some distance east. It is expected that timber enough will be received to make from 150,000 to 200,000 hubs before the season's work is finished. This company has made hubs every year for the past three or four years and their output has been very large. Previous to that time they stored their hubs for two or three years till they were well seasoned but in recent years a firm at Portland, Indians, which has a large foreign trade as well as local, has been contracting for all the output here and has been shipping the hubs out as soon as the blocks are ready. Many of these are shipped from here to Germany and other foreign countries. The blocks as they are sawed out here and dressed down are from 3½ to 6½ inches in diameter and from 8 to 12 inches in length. Most of the Seymour output is of the smaller sizes and used for hubs in buggies and other light vehicles.

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HANLY, ARTMAN & MCADAMS.

A new law firm will be established in Indianapolis within the next few days, to be known as Artman & McAdams. The members of the firm will be Judge Samuel Artman, of Lebanon, and Charles V. McAdams, who, until recently, was a member of the Indiana Railroad Commission. The partnership will begin on December 1.

About the middle of January Governor Hanly will become a member of the firm, which will then be known as Hanly, Artman & McAdams. Governor Hanly said to-day that he would not have any interest in the firm until after the expiration of his term of office in January.

It has been understood for some time that Governor Hanly and Mr. McAdams would form a partnership for the practice of law, and it was also said that McAdams resigned as member of the Railroad Commission in order to get an office established, but it was not known until today that Judge Artman would be a member of the firm.

Judge Artman was defeated for reelection as judge of the Boone Circuit Court at the recent election. It was he who more than a year ago handed down a decision holding that the saloon is a nuisance and inherently wrong and illegal, and that it could not be licensed by law for those reasons. The decision was reversed by the Supreme Court.

Excellent Program.

The recital given at the rooms of the Progressive Music Company Friday evening by Miss Kohnhorst and Mrs. Anna Rentz, of Newport, Kentucky, was thoroughly enjoyed by every one present. Mrs. Rentz is a reader of rare talent and her selections were greatly appreciated. Many who heard her say her readings were the best ever given in this city. She has been asked to return and participate in another recital and arrangements will doubtless be made to that end. Miss Kohnhorst has frequently been heard here and her singing always delights her hearers. Mrs. W. P. Masters presided at the piano. After the regular program Miss Frieda Aufderheide pleased the audience with violin solos and Earl M. Cox gave some excellent readings. The Misses Flenniken and Mrs. T. R. Carter, who are pupils of Miss Kohnhorst, gave some splendid vocal selections. The Chickering piano was used.

Have a New Sign.

The Thomas Clothing Company has received one of the finest signs in the city and arrangements are being made to place it in position at once. The sign is a large one and will be beautiful and ornamental both by day and night. The large letters are made up of rows of glass lenses and these are fitted in an iron case. Within this case are thirty-six electric lights of four candle power each, so arranged that the light will be thrown through each of the glass lenses with equal strength and the effect will be most beautiful.

There has been a marked improvement in the business signs of our merchants during the past two years which is an evidence of our prosperity and the fact that we are becoming more of a city every day. Many of the business signs displayed along our main streets would attract favorable comment in any large city and they will all have their part in attracting trade to Seymour.

Dale Patrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Patrick, met with painful accident Friday at J. F. Shiel's harness factory where he is employed. His sleeve caught in the machine he was operating and brought his right arm in contact with the machine, cutting quite a gash at the elbow. The injury will keep him from work a few days.

Oysters, home grown celery mince meat at Hopewell & Bandt's. n21d

The Progressive Music Company sold a fine Clough & Warren organ this week to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Conway, of near Uniontown.

For good healthful exercise with pleasant surroundings try Hopewell's skating rink. Open tonight.

All kinds of fresh meats and sausages at P. A. Nicther's clean grocery. n21d

Manilla cream and lemon sherbet. Fresh oysters on hands at Cordes'. Phone 110.

Hopewell's rink open tonight. Get in practice for the skating events of the holiday season.

Home made sausage, fresh and cured meats at Grelle's. n21d

Skating rink open tonight.

PE-RU-NA RECEIVES PRAISE

For Relieving Such Symptoms as Debility, Backache and Headache.

Mrs. Tressie Nelson, 609 North 5th Ave., Nashville, Tenn., writes: "As Peruna has done me a world of good I feel in duty bound to tell of it, in hopes that it may meet the eye of some who has suffered as I did."

"For five years I really did not know what a perfectly well day was, and if I did not have



headache, I had backache or a pain somewhere and really life was not worth the effort I made to keep going."

"A good friend advised me to use Peruna and I was glad to try anything, and I am very pleased to say that six bottles made a new woman of me and I have no more pains and life looks bright again."

There are a great many phases of woman's ailments that require the assistance of the surgeon.

But by far the greatest number of such cases are amenable to correct medicinal treatment.

A vast multitude of women have been relieved from the ailments peculiar to their sex through the use of Peruna as prescribed by Dr. Hartman.

He receives many letters from all parts of the country relating to subjects of vital interest to woman-kind.

Of the vast multitude of women Dr. Hartman treats annually, only a small per cent. of them consider it necessary to write to the Doctor at all.

While it is not affirmed that Peruna will relieve every case of this kind, it is certainly the part of wisdom for every woman so afflicted to give Peruna a fair trial.

Aged Voters.

Dr. E. M. C. Neyman, of Saltillo, Washington County, and Henry Funk, who lives near Elizabeth, Harrison county, were probably the oldest men who voted in the election a few days ago. Dr. Neyman was 100 years 8 months and 5 days old on the day of the election and Mr. Funk was a few days past 99 years.

Property Sold.

E. C. Bollinger as agent has sold the Grob property on E. Second street to Henry J. Kirsch, who now occupies the property, for \$1,250.

Fresh cakes at the Bee Hive, 10 cts. pound. n21d

New Schedule.

The I. C. & S. Traction Co. will put on a new schedule tomorrow. The time of cars is shown in another column of this paper.

Practically no change will be made in leaving time at Terminals, except that the present 4:00 o'clock Seymour Limited out of Indianapolis will be discontinued, and that car will leave at 4:10 p. m. as a local going through to Seymour.

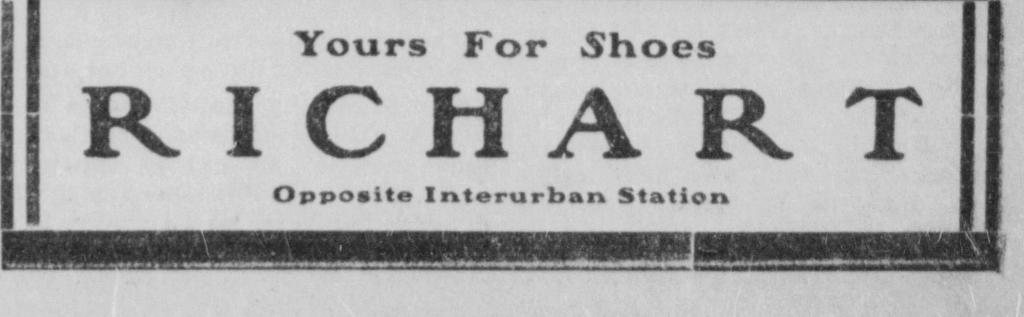
Dreamland Tonight.

Presents "Sappho." Latest illustrated song, "When the Nightengales are Nesting Sweet Irene." First show at 7 o'clock. Don't miss this.

We do "Printing That Please."



We carry the best line of medium priced Shoes you can find on the market. We have them in all leathers for ladies, men, girls and boys. We have just received a nice line of Low Heel Shoes for big girls, both in button and lace. Just the shoe for school wear. There is no doubt that our stock of Rubber Goods is the most complete in the city.



Majestic Theatre

TONIGHT

McNAVIN-CASH Stock Company PRESENTS

"A Fight For Honor"

PRICES: 10, 20 and 30 Cents.

TWO STATES QUARANTINED

Believed Cattle Fever Will Be Speedily Stamped Out.

EXPORT SHIPMENTS STOPPED

Aphous Fever Among Cattle Has Been Traced to Its Source and Many Infected Animals Have Been Killed—Shipments From New York and Philadelphia Were Brought to an Abrupt Close.

Danville, Pa., Nov. 21.—A report received at the federal and state headquarters established here by officials investigating the aphous fever among cattle, state that the veterinarians discovered thirty-five well-defined cases of the disease among cattle in Montgomery county in the vicinity of Norristown. The disease was traced to a carload of twenty-two cattle shipped into Montgomery county from Buffalo. Each one of these animals was located and in all it is stated, that thirty-five cases were found and that all of the infected animals will be killed.

Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Schech, said of the state's work that up to the present time more than 1,000 cows have been killed, besides many swine.

The report that five children in this vicinity are victims of the disease is discounted by the statement of Dr. Fox of the state health department, who came here from Harrisburg. He examined the children, who are convalescent, and says that it is doubtful if they ever had the disease.

Shipments to foreign ports from New York and Philadelphia were brought to an abrupt close by the cattle quarantine established in New York and in Pennsylvania, on account of the outbreak of the extremely contagious malady called the foot and mouth disease. The quarantine does not affect ports outside of New York and Philadelphia, except as to cattle from the two states affected by the ruling. Western cattle may still be shipped abroad from either Boston or Baltimore. While there is no likelihood to be any local scarcity of beef or raise in prices as a result of the cattle quarantine, the foreign trade will undoubtedly be seriously hampered for a time. Even Canadian cattle received at these ports in bond, cannot be reshipped to England and dealers with such consignments on hand will be forced to send them back because the duty on Canadian cattle makes their local use prohibitive. Owing to the prompt and rigid measures taken to stamp out the disease it was thought that the quarantine would not be maintained for a long period.

WISCONSIN AND CHICAGO

Are in Football Field Today for Western Championship.

Madison, Wis., Nov. 21.—The streets of this city are today filled with a riot of yelling students of the male persuasion, laughing co-eds, husky football players and spectacled professors, all talking of nothing but today's gridiron struggle between the University of Wisconsin and her old time rival, the University of Chicago.

From an early hour today the streets and roads leading to Camp Randall have been thronged with pedestrians and vehicles bound for the field where the greatest western football game of the year is to be decided. From all over the western country the alumni of the two institutions have come to lend to their respective teams the encouragement of their presence, their cheers and songs. It looks as though all of Stagg's former Chicago football stars have come to see their successors battle with Barry's men for the supremacy. There is much talk of the former triumphs of the two universities, but it seems to be generally agreed that the outcome of today's contest is involved just now in great uncertainty.

For Eastern Football Title.

New Haven, Nov. 21.—Yale and Harvard meet here today for the football championship of the East. The betting is at even money, both sides being confident of victory. It is the first time in several years that the result of the Yale-Harvard game will decide the championship, and interest in the game is very keen. New Haven is filled with the usual crowd, and seats for the game are commanding a premium. Both Captain Burch of Yale and Bur of Harvard will be in the game. Neither side has been defeated this year. Harvard has played a 6 to 6 tie with Annapolis, and Yale has been tied by Brown by the score of 10 to 10.

Protection on Lumber.

Washington, Nov. 21.—"A universal grab game" is the appellation given the tariff by Representative Champ Clark of Missouri yesterday at the hearing before the ways and means committee on the tariff schedule for wood and wood manufactures. The administration's policy for the preservation of the forests figured largely in the argument. Several lumbermen said they wanted a protective tariff on lumber because other articles are protected by the law. This called forth the term of "grab" from Mr. Clark.

MONTANA MINE DISASTER

Fire Shuts Off Escape of Miners at Butte.

Butte, Mont., Nov. 21.—Fire yesterday in the fourth drift east from No. 2 slope of the Northwestern Improvement company's mine at Red Lodge caused the death of six miners and the probable death of many more. About twenty miners are entombed with faint chance for their escape. Twenty men were taken from the workings in a half-dead condition and are now in the hospital. Members of the fire department and fifty volunteers then started the work of rescue and within half an hour the skips were running down the forth entry, and a hundred men were loaded on the cars and brought to the surface, many of them completely exhausted and lifeless. Those rescued declared there is little hope for the greater number of those entombed, but this belief is not shared by the mine owners.

FATAL RAILROAD WRECK.

Chicago, Nov. 21.—One man was killed, two are missing and several were injured in a collision between two Illinois Central railroad freight trains at Berwyn, near Chicago, early this morning. A dense fog is believed to have caused the accident. Immediately after the wreck both trains caught fire.

TRADE IS GOOD

Says Bradstreet's, Though Mild Weather Interferes.

New York, Nov. 21.—Bradstreet's review of trade today says: Enlargement and expansion are still the dominating influences in trade and industry, and the volume of sales and of orders booked by wholesalers and manufacturers continues to show gains, particularly in the commercial and manufacturing centers of the North, East and West. Still, certain evidences of irregularity are found in the reports that mild weather is restricting sales of winter goods at retail in the above sections, and Southern advices are that improvement in that section is rather slower than expected, and that low cotton prices and holding of that product by producers are checking trade and collections. Idle cars are reported growing fewer in number rapidly. Heavier buying of pig iron is reported at the East and lake markets are more active, but Pittsburgh reports transactions smaller. Prices are higher. There is more doing in leather, and shoes are in better inquiry from manufacturers, though affected by mild weather at retail.

ROCKEFELLER CONTINUES UNDER FIRE.

New York, Nov. 21.—For over five hours yesterday John D. Rockefeller, witness for the defense in the government suit to dissolve the Standard Oil company, faced an unceasing fire of questions from the federal counsel, Frank B. Kellogg, and when adjournment was taken until Monday, the head of the oil combine was still being cross-examined on the charges that the company, in its early days, accepted rebates to the disadvantage of its rivals. Mr. Rockefeller's cross-examination will probably not be concluded until late Tuesday, as Mr. Kellogg made it known that he would inquire into every detail of the company's business from Mr. Rockefeller.

Called on Taft.

Hot Springs, Va., Nov. 21.—A general discussion of affairs with Senator Scott of West Virginia, and a visit from Senator Henry Gassaway Davis of the same state, who some years ago was the Democratic candidate for vice president, were the only demands made yesterday on the time of President-elect Taft.

INDUSTRIAL RESUMPTION.

Union, S. C., Nov. 21.—The Union Buffalo Cotton mills have orders to return each of its three plants to the fullest capacity. This places in operation 17,000 spindles and 800 looms which were idle during the summer. The mills employ 2,000 people.

TERSE TELEGRAMS

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Bryan are enroute to Monterey, Mexico, where they will visit.

Business failures for the week number 273, against 267 last week and 265 in the like week of 1907.

The greatest crowd that ever saw a football contest in central New York is at the Michigan-Syracuse game today.

Gains are now almost universal, says Dun's Weekly Review of Trade, each week surpassing its predecessor in volume of trade.

Cornelius Vanderbilt has invited Clyde shipbuilders to tender bids for the construction of a new steam yacht of 1,800 tons.

The court of Japan will go into mourning for three weeks on account of the death of the emperor and the empress dowager of China.

Secretary Hester's statement of the world's visible supply of cotton shows an increase for the week just closed of 248,545 against an increase of 203,475 last year.

Frank Lameir, a white convict in the state prison at Stillwater, Minn., was stabbed through the heart and instantly killed by James Cunningham, a negro convict, in the prison hospital.

Voting for the second degree electors to the new Turkish parliament have come to an end in Constantinople, and the actual election of the deputies has been fixed for Nov. 29.

GOMPERS IN CONTROL.

He Is Fully Endorsed by the Federation of Labor.

Denver, Colo., Nov. 21.—There has at no time since the opening of the convention of the American Federation of Labor been any doubt that President Gompers was not in complete control, but it was thought possible that a part of his report might be materially amended or his political course condemned. The report was adopted yesterday, and Mr. Gompers thereby fully endorsed. Election of officers is the special order of business today.

Among resolutions adopted, one instructs the executive council to appoint a committee to investigate industrial education in this country and abroad and report to the next convention. The convention decided to send two fraternal delegates to the convention of the farmers' union, who shall investigate the condition of farm laborers. A resolution was offered commending the efforts of President Roosevelt in behalf of the conservation of natural resources, which was unanimously adopted. The recommendation that the federation erect a building suitable for its uses at Washington, D. C., was adopted.

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KRIS KRINGLE'S GIFT MAKERS.

Presents For Girls—Dainty Aprons of Dotted Swiss For Coquettish Maids—How Handkerchiefs Are Utilized.

If you know a pretty girl who wishes to win the heart of an ardent admirer, make a dainty apron for her and send it for a Christmas gift. The aprons illustrated are both dainty and useful at the same time. The surplice apron is made of dotted swiss and is finished with bands and ruffles of lace. The pockets and shoulders have decorations of soft wash ribbon. White silk is used for the other model, which is trimmed with hemstitched ruffles and black velvet ribbon.

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working. By this continual loosening and reclamping of the work much delay is caused, says the Scientific American.

With the universal vise, however, once the work has been clamped up in the jaws of the tool, there is no necessity to release it again until the task has been completed. To the bench is screwed a heavy socket, while the pedestal of the vise terminates in a ball working in this socket. In this manner the vise can be swung through any angle and turned completely around, as desired, thereby always rendering it possible for the work to be placed in the most favorable position for operation.

The ball and socket motion is controlled by a single bolt shown at the side of the table fixture, while by the slackening back of two nuts the socket can be opened to permit of the entire withdrawal of the vise. In a later modification of this tool, which has secured a wide appreciation among engineers, the jaws themselves work upon the ball and socket principle, so that a double universal action is obtained, allowing the work to be twisted and set in any desired position.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

NOVEMBER 22, 1908

Solomon Anointed King; 1 Kings 1: 32-40, 50-53.

GOLDEN TEXT.—Know thou the God of thy father, and serve him with a perfect heart and with a willing mind.—1 Chron 28: 9.

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"Whatsoever the Lord pleased, that did He in heaven and in earth, in the seas and all deep places" (Ps. cxxxv, 6). "The Most High ruleth in the kingdom of men and giveth it to whomsoever He will. He doeth according to His will in the army of heaven and among the inhabitants of the earth" (Dan. iv, 32, 35). Even when our Lord was crucified Herod and Pilate and the people of Israel did what the hand and counsel of the Lord determined before to be done (Acts iv, 27, 28). So it is always, through good men and bad men, and even the devil, and through good men who often act unwisely, God is ever working out His eternal purpose which he purposed in Christ Jesus our Lord (Eph. iii, 11). He who sees and declares the end from the beginning says, "My counsel shall stand, and I will do all My pleasure" (Isa. xli, 10; Ps. xxxiii, 10, 11). Men are left free to do as they choose and are guilty if they do wrong, but God is ever working out His purpose in spite of everything and every one who may be set against Him.

Thus we see it in our lesson today. David being old, one of his sons, Adonijah, whom he had never displeased by even asking him why he did anything, exalted himself to be the king, though he knew that the Lord had given the throne to his brother Solomon, and Joab, who was David's chief, and Abiathar, the priest, whom David had so protected and made one with him, followed Adonijah (1 Kings i, 5-7; ii, 15). It does not seem so strange that spoiled boys, like Absalom and Adonijah, should be so desperately wicked, but to see a priest like Abiathar joining him is perplexing. It seems so easy to turn from what is right and do the wrong thing.

There were some who remained faithful to David, such as Nathan, the prophet; Zadok, the priest; Benaiah, the son of Jehoiada, one of David's mighty men who slew a lion in a pit in snow time, and also an Egyptian with the man's own spear, and did many mighty acts (II Sam. xxii, 20-23; I Kings 1, 8). Nathan told Bathsheba, the mother of Solomon, how things were going, and she and Nathan brought word to David, whereupon David called these three faithful men and bade them cause Solomon to ride upon his own mule and have him anointed king over Israel and Judah, that he might sit upon his throne and be king in his stead (verses 32-35). This was as the Lord had purposed, for He had said to David, "Behold,

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Objected to Rabbit Hunting.

Logansport, Ind., Nov. 20.—Because Charles A. Shaff, a former county recorder, killed a rabbit on her farm, Mrs. Severs, who lives west of this city, fired a load of buckshot at him. The woman gave no warning, but just as Shaff bent over to pick up the dead rabbit she fired from the open doorway of her home. The distance was great, and while twelve of the shot penetrated his coat, only one or two punctured the skin.

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Interesting Details of What Occurred at That Time.

EDICTS PROMISE REFORMS

Reports From Peking Tell of Superstitions, Customs and Strange Phases of Court Etiquette During Time of the Deaths of the Emperor and Dowager Empress—Confusion in the Palace.

Peking, Nov. 20.—An edict ordering posthumous honors for the late dowager empress has been issued, and it enumerates for the fourth time since the death of her majesty the programme of reforms to which the programme is committed. These political edicts first began appearing four days ago, in the name of the emperor and the grand council. Two decrees entailing upon the infant emperor, Pu-Yi, the carrying out of the reforms already inaugurated by his predecessor were published.

Prince Chang was present at the palace both yesterday and today. The forbidden city is crowded all day long with officials of various degree and throngs of mourners, and notable in the gathering is the dalai lama of Tibet and all his disciples. Accurate information concerning the last days of the emperor and the dowager empress were obtained today from officials of the palace. The various foreign legations, in attempting to determine the causes of the death of the emperor and the dowager empress, have abandoned the poison theory and have concluded that the symptoms of the emperor indicate that death resulted from neurasthenia and cardiac weaknesses, together with other complications.

The emperor made a speech less than one hour before his death. He passed away during a period of the greatest excitement and confusion. His native physicians had been temporarily dismissed under the impression that there was no change in the condition of his majesty and that he might live for some time. There was a sudden turn for the worse, however, and they were quickly recalled. They at once gave orders in accordance with a custom of the imperial family observed for centuries past, that the emperor be dressed for death and that imperial yellow clay be spread over the road leading from the winter palace to the forbidden city. At the same time an imperial conveyance was made ready to convey the dowager empress to the death chamber.

The last illness of the dowager empress dated from Nov. 1. On this day the court was terrified by an outburst of uncontrolled temper from her majesty. On Nov. 12, she suffered a paralytic stroke upon being informed of the precarious condition of the emperor. On Nov. 13 Prince Chang returned from her mansoule on the eastern hills, whither she had sent him to make a religious offering in the hope of propitiating the ghost that in her dreams had beckoned her to follow him out to these hills. Both their majesties awaited the coming of the grim reaper clad in their full official robes and surrounded by hundreds of court officials and followers. It was a barbarous exhibition of the soullessness and inhuman formality and etiquette of the court. Soon after the deaths were announced hundreds of men, including everybody attached to household departments collected in the palace and remained there for five days.

As soon as it was actually known throughout the palace that their majesties were dead a condition of panic ensued. The widow of Tung-Chi attempted to commit suicide because she perceived she would not be made dowager empress. There was an outbreak of wailing and general pandemonium such as accompanied the giving of the order that their majesties should be clad in their imperial robes for death. Many of the palace eunuchs fled, carrying with them such valuables as they could lay hands on. The dowager empress Yehonala was one of the few who retained her presence of mind. She ordered that the gates be guarded and gave other instructions for the maintenance and restoration of order.

Pu-Yi, the baby emperor, has been taken from his family and is sedulously cared for within the palace precincts. He is popularly reported as crying day and night for his old nurse.

Kansas City Commercial Club.

Kansas City, Nov. 20.—Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University, speaking here last night at the annual dinner of the Kansas City Commercial club, declared that the great question of banking and currency and of the regulation of the transportation system of the country and of trusts were not properly a matter for partisan exploitation or for party differences. These questions, he said, could not be solved either by rhetoric or in passion, but only by intelligent, solicitous study and reflection.

Dr. Butler, Senator Albert J. Beveridge of Indiana and Polk Miller of Virginia were the guests of honor. Senator Beveridge spoke principally on the tariff.

Advertised Letters

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Seymour and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office.

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ROCKEFELLER STILL ON THE STAND

Under Fire of Cross Examination Today.

New York, Nov. 20.—With the telling of the story of the first score of years of the industrial development of the Standard Oil company the testimony of John D. Rockefeller, president of the oil combine, on direct examination in the federal suit to dissolve the Standard Oil company, was brought to an unexpected close yesterday. The head of the Standard told of the processes and causes of the company's growth up to the trust agreement of 1882 and, after identifying the parties to that agreement, counsel for the defense announced that Mr. Rockefeller had concluded his direct testimony.

Today finds Mr. Rockefeller on the witness stand under the sharp fire of the cross-examination of Frank B. Kellogg, special assistant attorney general, prosecuting the case for the government. The cross-examination by the government will be generally confined to the period from 1862 to 1882. Counsel for the Standard let it be known that the history of the company from the trust agreement of 1882 would be told on the witness stand by John D. Archbold, vice president of the company, who is conversant with the combine's developments.

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KILLED YARDMASTER.

Robert E. Kinney Is Said to Have

Been Shot by Indiana Woman.

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 12.—Robert E. Kinney, a Pennsylvania yard master, was shot dead last night on Seneca street. Agnes Gatlin, the wife of Edward Gatlin, of Terre Haute, Ind., is under arrest charged with firing the fatal shot. Mrs. Gatlin was captured a few minutes after the shooting while trying to force an entrance to a saloon near by, where her husband was lying in a side room. Mrs. Gatlin was searching for her husband when she met Kinney. In reply to a question as to the whereabouts of her husband, Kinney, it is alleged, replied: "Oh, he's out with the blonde tonight." Mrs. Gatlin, it is said, whipped out a revolver and fired two shots, one of which pierced Kinney's heart. The Gatlins came here from Terre Haute five months ago.

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None Injured in Mine Accident.

Edwardsville, Ill., Nov. 20.—Two loaded cages in the Kerens Donnelson coal mine, nine miles north of Edwardsville, collapsed at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon carrying with them to the bottom of the mine the entire hoisting apparatus and topworks. Two hundred men were in the mine at the time of the accident but all escaped injury and made their way out through the air shaft.

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Pat—An' did ye have a good tolme last night?

Mike—Sure. We went out an' painted the town green!—Cleveland Leader.

TRIBAL WARS AND MASSACRES

From the South Pacific Come Bloody Tales.

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 19.—The steamer Moana which has arrived from Australia, brought news of a massacre in the Rock Islands, belonging to New Pommern, where for some unexplained reason the natives killed thirty of their women folk. It is the intention of the Germans to send a punitive expedition there.

News was also brought of a massacre at Santos, in the New Hebrides, where Peter C. Crig, fifty-one years of age, and his two daughters, were murdered by a mob of natives. Santos had been regarded as a Christian center and settlers were regarded as safe. The massacre took place within a short distance of the mission station, to which the surviving member of the family, a boy, fourteen years old, made his escape. H. M. S. Prometheus has been sent to the scene.

News of tribal wars in which thirty natives were killed was brought by the Moana from Sydney. The Sissian natives surprised a village of the Man tribe and massacred thirty of them. A force sent to the scene attacked the Sissian people who retreated into the bushes after a sharp fight in which six of the murderers were shot.

THEIR CHIEF ARRIVES.

Large Body of Tammany Men Meet
Richard Croker.

New York, Nov. 20.—The news that the Lusitania, with Richard Croker aboard, was sighted down the bay early today was the signal for the Tammany braves to get busy with their welcome for their former chieftain. A large excursion steamer had been chartered to meet the incoming liner. The Tammany vessel was crowded to the rails with politicians of high and low degree, who shivered in the keen November wind that blew in from the Narrows. Despite the chilliness, much enthusiasm was manifested.

The appearance of Mr. Croker's form on the deck of the Lusitania was greeted with cheers. He looked well and declared that he felt well. Beyond voicing his regret at the recent Democratic defeat in the state and nation Mr. Croker refused to discuss politics at this time. He will remain in this country for several months, renewing old friendships, before returning to his Irish home.

Two States Quarantined.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture has issued orders placing in quarantine the states of New York and Pennsylvania and forbidding the interstate movement of cattle, sheep, swine and goats, as a result of the sudden outbreak of a contagious foot and mouth disease. The only point in New York affected so far as the officials know is the stock yards at East Buffalo, which were ordered closed pending a general cleaning up and the quarantine against the state was deemed imperative for the protection of adjacent states. The outbreak of the disease in Pennsylvania seems of a grave nature. Its first appearance was about a week ago in the counties of Columbia, Montour, Northumberland and Union.

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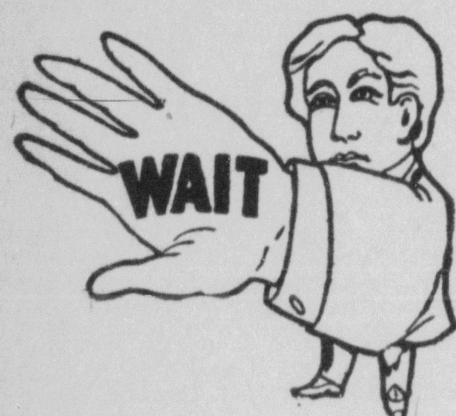
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Ginseng "Hoodoo."

Up at Columbus the politicians are coming to regard ginseng as fatal to political activity. The plant itself is supposed to produce vigor and vim, but there is some "hoodoo" about the ginseng patch owned by Roy W. Emig and Lon J. Cox, of this city. The patch is located on Salt Creek Brown county, the fabled creek where all defeated politicians are supposed to go. Mr. Emig was the Republican candidate for Representative from this county, and was defeated. His partner, Mr. Cox, was asked to be the Democratic candidate for prosecuting attorney of Bartholomew and Decatur counties. There had never been a Democrat elected from this judicial district, so he declined with thanks. Another Democrat was nominated and elected, so the other members of the ginseng firm lost out. James F. Cox, father of Lon J. Cox, was the Democratic candidate for Secretary of state. He takes an interest in the ginseng patch, and he was also defeated. Judge Cox, of Indianapolis, who sought a place at the head of the Juvenile Court, is a brother of J. F. Cox, of this city, and he likes ginseng. He was also defeated.

First Baptist Church.

Bible School 9:15 a. m. B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m. Divine Worship 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject for the morning, "Being Sound in God's Statutes." For the evening there will be a Praise Service given by the choir under the direction of Prof. H. C. Gast. The public is cordially invited to all these services. The program for the evening service is as follows:

Voluntary
Call to Worship
Invocation
Gloria
Hymn
Scripture Lesson
Anthem
Prayer
Offertory
Anthem
Sermonette
"One Sweetly Solemn Thought"
Messrs. Stratton and Gast
Hymn
"Ave Maria," Raff
Miss Hannah Mills
Violin Obligato.....H. C. Gast
Hymn

First M. E. Church.

Sunday School at 9:15 a. m. Preaching at 10:30 a. m., conducted by the pastor. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m.

At 7:30 p. m. the ladies of the Woman's Home Missionary Society will hold their annual thank offering service: "America's Reception to the Nations Under our Flag." Those representing the different nations will appear in costume. The decorations will be the American flag. The offering will be for Home Mission work. We extend a cordial invitation to you and your friends to attend these services.

Special Program.

B. Y. P. U. Sunday 6:30, Nov. 22, 1908. Program:
Instrumental Solo—Miss Edna Dobbins.

Hymn
Prayer
Scripture Lesson, psalm 103.
Chorus—"Thanks be to God"—
Misses Minnie Heintz, Laura Shepard, Hazel Pomeroy, Nora Pomeroy and Gertrude Sweany.
Reading—Miss Margaret Remy.
Solo—Miss Mildred Adams.

Presbyterian Sunday School.

Thanksgiving Sunday, all teachers and scholars are requested to be present Sunday morning at Sunday School and receive their Thanksgiving souvenirs. Miss Hannah Mills will sing. Any persons not attending other Sunday Schools are invited.

The Ministerial Association.

Will meet Monday at 10:00 a. m. at the Presbyterian church. All ministers of the city and neighboring towns are invited to be present. Rev. Omelena will furnish the paper for Monday.

St. Paul's Church.

Thanksgiving memorial services tomorrow. German at 10:15 a. m. English at 7 p. m. All will be made welcome.

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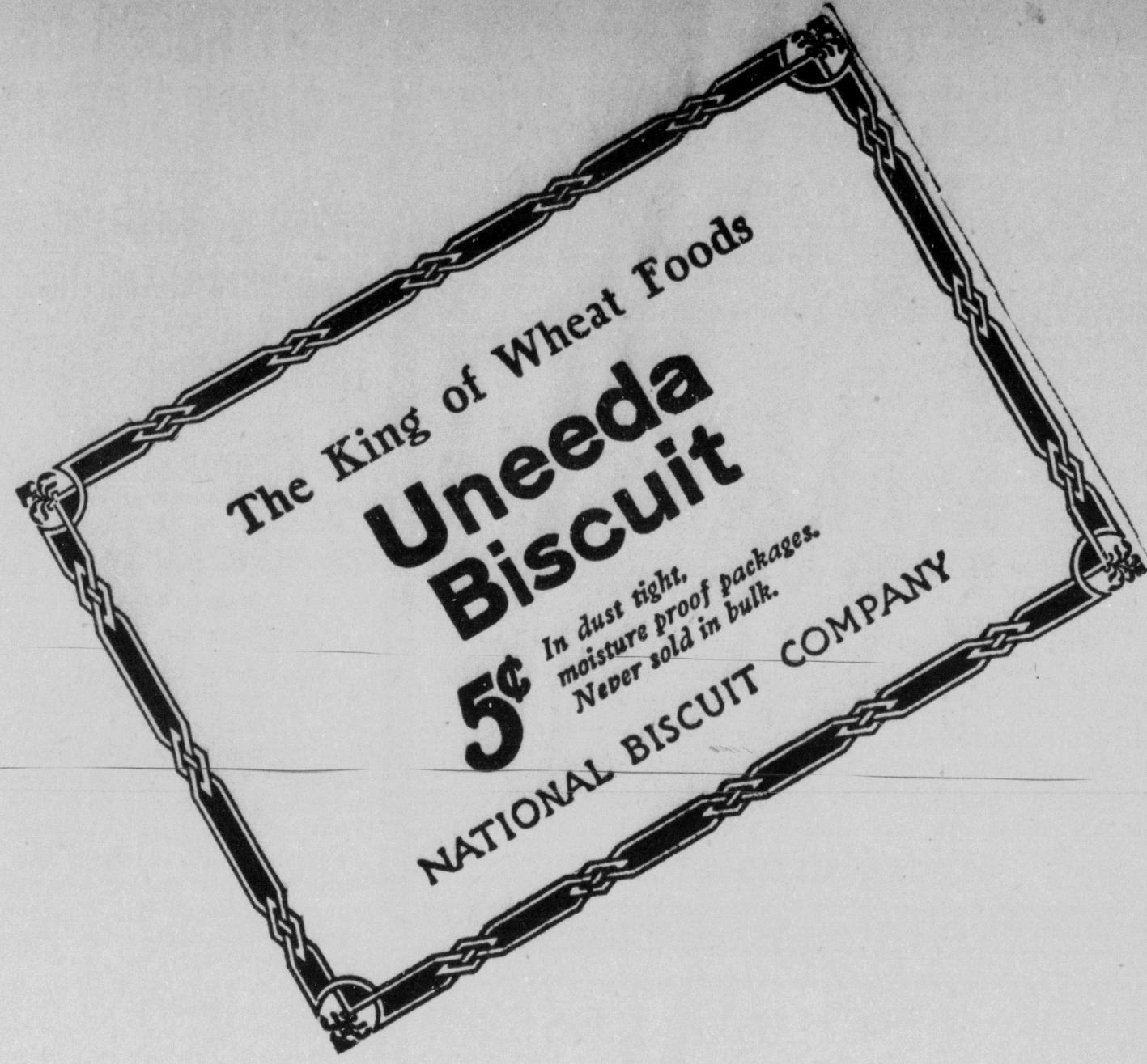
FURGUSON:—James E. Furguson, who was a photographer in Seymour eighteen years ago, died at his home in Columbus Friday morning of Brights disease. He was 57 years of age. He was in business at Logansport before he came to Seymour. He went from here to Columbus where he built up a good business. The remains will be taken to Logansport Sunday morning for burial.

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Seymour is rejoicing in a supply of good water, the more remarkable in the face of the present drought. Within three days White river rose six inches, the great well at the waterworks in Seymour was filled, and many private wells, which had become dry, were again filled. At no time in the history of the city has the supply been better nor greater, and no one is able to explain the cause. Similar supplies of water have also appeared at other points in southern Indiana, where the drought has been severe. One case was reported of creek dry for weeks, which suddenly showed three inches of purest water, which has continued to flow uninterruptedly. Some weeks ago a new spring appeared in Hendricks county near Plainfield, in a neighborhood suffering from insufficiency of water, and only the other day in the streets of Danville, near the public square, a spring suddenly burst from the ground, which is continuing to flow. If some such phenomenon should manifest itself at Bloomington where the water question is really a grave problem, the scientists of the State University might perhaps find an explanation that would explain.—Indianapolis News.

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William Goecker, of Crothersville, is laying the brick foundation for another new house. This is the fifth new residence that Mr. Goecker has built this summer.

Tan shoes colored, shoes shined. Will call for and return shoes. Foster's shining parlors. Phone 468.

n21d

Crothersville Personals.

Mrs. Frank Scifres was a business visitor at Seymour Monday.

Ivan Sparks and Chas Bard were at Seymour Tuesday.

Misses Mary Schuler and Blanche Beldon visited at Seymour Saturday. Mrs. David Franklin and Howard Weddle visited at Seymour Wednesday.

Miss Josie Dewitt went to Seymour Monday for a visit with her sister. Miss Nellie Coons came here from Seymour Saturday and went to Scott county to visit.

Mrs. Sam Blackleach visited at Seymour Tuesday.

Miss Ellen May visited at Seymour Tuesday.

E. C. Bess was a business visitor at Seymour Monday.

Allen Swope of Seymour was here Monday.

Alf Cox and Geo Beldon went to Seymour Tuesday.

Miss Ida Lunte of Seymour visited Misses Ida and Lennie Nehrt Sunday. —Crothersville Herald.

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Oysters, home grown celery, mince meat at Hopewell & Brandt's. n21d

Pains of women, head pains, or any pain stopped in 20 minutes sure, with Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets. See full formula on 25c box. Sold by A. J. Pellens.

Looking After His Interests.

A negro who lived in Macon, Ga. was suddenly bereaved of his wife, who had relatives in Augusta. During the completion of the funeral arrangements the widower had gone to the railroad station and asked the price of round trip tickets to Augusta—two tickets—one for himself and one for the remains. The agent explained that while the widower might need a round trip for himself it would be necessary to purchase only a one-way ticket for the late lamented, the agent taking it for granted that the interment was to be at Augusta.

"I know what I'm doing," protested the negro, somewhat heatedly. "I've got a definite idea what I want. My wife has got more'n eighty-nine kinfolks down to Augusta, an, all o' 'em wants to see her befo' she's buried. I've got it all figured out that it'll be more economical fo' me to take her to Augusta and back heah again dan it'll be to feed a passel of niggers dat would come from Augusta to de funeral heah"—St. Louis Republic.

Revision of The Tariff.

We keep all grades of coal and sell at the lowest bottom price. Baled timothy hay, clover hay, baled straw, mixed feed, cracked corn, ground meal, bread meal, oats, wheat for chicken feed, in fact everything in the feed line delivered to any part of the city on short notice.

n24d G. H. ANDERSON

County Surveyor James Wayman, of Brownstown, was in this city Friday evening and attended the performance at the Majestic.

SPECIAL Thanksgiving OFFERINGS

Exquisite Linen to grace your dining-room table at very low prices. Where the table is set with snowy white table napery it looks appetizing. It is not extravagant or expensive to have your Thanksgiving dining table equipped with everything in keeping with your home. When an assortment of fine Linens are offered at such special prices, which we are doing, it is your opportunity to take advantage of quite a saving.

TABLE LINENS

54 and 56 inch Bleached and Unbleached Table Linens
assorted patterns, worth 35c. 25c
56 in. Bleached Mercerised Damask, handsome patterns.... 45c
68 and 70 inch All Linen Bleached Damask, worth 125 per yd. special... 89c

Pattern Table Cloths with Napkins to match, priced special for this occasion.

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A handsome collection of square, round and oval shape Doilies, ranging in price from 5cts. to \$1.00

Cluny Center Pieces and Scarfs ranging in price from 98 cents to \$3.50.

Napkin values which cannot be equaled. Price ranging from 39c to \$3.98 a doz.

TOWELS, TOWELING

Full size Huck Towel, with or without fringe, regular 10c values.... 5c
Extra size Huck Towel, regular 12½c values.... 7½c
Full size Fringed Towel white or colored borders, 25c values.... 19c

A visit to our Basement for necessities as well as Ornamental Pieces for Thanksgiving will more than pay you as we have a large assortment.

Our Big Sale is still in force. Big Bargains in all Departments.

The Gold Mine Department Store



THANKSGIVING is the day everyone looks forward to with a certain amount of pleasure. You will enjoy the day far better if CORRECTLY DRESSED in one of our Stylish Suits, Swell Cut Overcoats, Black Tan or Gray Gloves, Black, Tan or Green Hat, Patent Leather, Wine or Gun Metal Shoes. We have them all and no one will be better dressed than you, if you buy from us. Give your boy a "New Outfit" and make him happy.

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\$2000.00 this beautiful home, 8 rooms, 4 closets, hall, gas in every room, summer kitchen, cellar, well cistern, lot 50x120, fruit and sheds and henery.

\$1500.00 this residence, lot 57x157 good location, 4 rooms and summer kitchen, sheds, McCann well, good corner lot.

\$2750.00 for this elegant residence, lot 50x150, bath room, concrete walks, furnace, cellar, sewer, barn, 6 rooms.

\$1200.00 for this fine new home, fine shade, concrete walks, well, 5 rooms, front and rear porch. Also cheaper and higher priced city property.

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A Thanksgiving Toothache
is a visitation we all want to be without, or any other impairment of the teeth that prevents the enjoyment of our meals. Impaired teeth means impaired health in the form of dyspepsia. If you would enjoy your Thanksgiving turkey, and other good things, see Dr. B. S. Shinness without delay.

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WANTED—I have good renters for thirty-five houses, situate within a reasonable distance of east Second street.

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FOR SALE BY OWNER—Six room, two story frame dwelling house with barn, situated at 320 West Second street, with large lot extending from Second to Third streets. For particulars, write Mahlon E. Wilson, 416 Herald Bldg., Salt Lake City, Utah.

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Weather Indications.

Fair tonight and probably Sunday, rising temperature.

To Make Shale Brick.

The new shale brick kiln one mile southwest of Medora is being pushed to completion ready for business. Persons who have tested samples of brick made from the shale in that vicinity say that it is some of the best hard brick made anywhere. If this is true the kiln should be a good paying investment and should give employment to a large number of hands from now on. It has been difficult to get orders for this kind of brick filled promptly during the past few years as the facilities for production have hardly been equal to the demand. The result is long delays, high prices and sometimes brick that is not up to the quality desired. If the kiln is as successful, as it appears now it will be a great feeder for the B. & O. S.W. railway and will mean thousands of dollars to this road in additional freight business.

Home made country sausage at Hopewell & Brandt's.

Play Louisville Males.

The Washington High School football team passed through here this morning en route to Louisville where they are playing the Louisville High School this afternoon. The game was expected to be a hard fought battle and the Louisville and Washington papers have given a great deal of space to it. Washington has a clean record never having lost a game during the season up to this time. The Louisville team is the strongest football organization by far that Kentucky has ever produced and have held the championship title of Kentucky for a number of years. Louisville defeated the Evansville eleven by a score of 24 to 0 and Washington defeated the same team 23 to 0. This shows that the chances are about equal between the two teams.

A tickling or dry cough can be quickly loosened with Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy. No opium, no chloroform, nothing unsafe or harsh. Sold by A. J. Pelleens.

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PERSONAL.

Adam Fox, of Reddington, was here this afternoon.

Prosecutor Swails attended court at Scottsburg Friday.

Frank C. Kerner, of Freetown, was in Seymour yesterday.

Dr. Neal Matlock was here from Medora again this morning.

Dr. George Cook, of Indianapolis, was in the city Friday evening.

Oscar S. Brooke, of Brownstown, was in this city Friday evening.

Miss Aimee Whitcomb, of Cincinnati, is here the guest of friends.

John Ritz and wife, of Scipio, are guests of J. B. Prothero and wife.

James W. Cunningham was here from Brownstown Friday evening.

Nick Bennett, the Pennsylvania trainmaster, went south this morning.

Preston Rider, of Crothersville, was in this city this morning on business.

John Dodds, of Clearspring, came over on the eleven o'clock this morning.

Prof. Kastrup, of Washington township, was in the city this morning.

County Commissioner Samuel Carr of Medora, was in the city this morning.

Clinton Bower, of Clearspring, came over on the eleven o'clock car this morning.

Miss Leota Henderson, a teacher in the Tampico schools, was here this afternoon.

Robert Hays, merchant of Cortland, was transacting business in the city this morning.

Ethel Parker of the Pleasant Grove neighborhood, was in the city on business yesterday.

M. F. McGrath, of Bedford, was in this city Friday evening and remained here till today.

Mrs. James Kennedy and daughter Miss Ethel, of Brownstown, were in the city this morning.

Sheriff Ed Richards, of Vallonia, was in the city this morning and returned west on No. 7.

M. W. Welsh, of Brownstown, was in this city Thursday evening and remained here till Friday.

Charles Eshom, of Medora, who has been spending a day or two in this city returned home this morning.

George Kasting made a business trip to North Vernon this morning and returned home on the noon train.

Albert Luedtke and Anna Luedtke, of Sparks, were in this city Friday evening and remained here till this morning.

Charles Cordes, of the First National Bank, went to Cincinnati Friday afternoon on account of the sickness of a relative.

Judge and Mrs. James H. Jordon will arrive this evening to be the guests of Judge and Mrs. O. H. Montgomery over Sunday.

Rev. J. M. Cross, of Nineveh, was here a few hours today en route to Vallonia where he will preach at the Christian church Sunday.

Miss Vallie Woessner is expected here from Indianapolis on the early morning train Sunday to spend the day with Miss Grace Love and other friends.

Mrs. Anna Rentz, of Newport, Kentucky, who assisted in the recital at the Progressive Music Company's rooms last evening, was the guest of Miss Ida Price today.

James Adams and John Williams, of Crothersville, have returned from their trip to the wilds Arkansas. They report land cheap and game plentiful in that locality.

Mr. and Mrs. Stroder Young came down from Indianapolis this morning on the early train and will be the guests of Miss Mabel Harris and other friends for a few days.

Mrs. R. E. Boswell, of Jacksonville Fla., who was here visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Mack, of South Walnut street, went to East St. Louis, this morning for a visit with her brother.

Miss Blanche Scott, of Spraytown, returned from a few weeks visit with her brother, Rev. Oscar Scott and family, at Otisco last evening and was a guest in D. M. Hays' family over last night. She will return home to day.

Attorney Oren O. Swails returned home Thursday night from spending several days at Indianapolis and visiting relatives at Acton. He attended the dedication of the new Odd Fellows' building at Indianapolis while away.

Harry Stewart, who spent a few months here with his parents when they were the proprietors of the Nickelodeo, came down from Indianapolis this morning where he is a student in Butler college and will spend Sunday here with friends.

Miss Elizabeth Nieman, of Aurora, arrived here Friday and will spend some time with her sister, Mrs. Henry Holtman of South Walnut street. She was accompanied by her niece, Miss Bertha Schumacher, also of Aurora, who will visit with relatives here a few days.

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Miss Beulah Brown was here from Columbus today.

Attorney R. A. Wright, of Medora, was here this morning.

William Bergsicker, of near Jonesville, was in the city this afternoon.

Mrs. Lycurgus Fleetwood and brother, Mr. Henderson, of Freetown, were in this city this morning.

Rev. Wilson Whitney, pastor of the Baptist church at Bedford, was in the city today visiting Rev. F. M. Huckleberry and family.

Closing Show.

The McNavin-Cash Stock Company closes a successful week here tonight with what the company claims to be the best bill of the week. "A Fight For Honor" is the play tonight. A packed house is looked for tonight. New specialties. Popular prices.

F. X. Johnson Dead.

Just before going to press we received a report that F. X. Johnson, manager of the Stone City opera house at Bedford and promoter of the Airdome circuit, died at his home at Bedford this morning.

Fresh cakes at the Bee Hive, 10 cts. n21d.

Rink open tonight. Special attention given to beginners.

Want Ads. get results. Try one.

Proposed Skating Rink.

Mrs. Martha Leslie, of Elizabethtown, is negotiating for the opening of a new roller skating rink at Brownstown, so a Seymour newspaper says.

The paper adds that it is rather late to open a skating rink at Brownstown, but thinks the proposition might prove a paying one, after all.—Columbus Republican.

State of Ohio City of Toledo, ss Lucas County.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure Frank J. Cheney.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886

(Seal) A. W. Gleason, Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

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Ben Henderson, of Freetown, formerly the county truant officer, was transacting business in the city today.

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THE BABY WENT TO BOYLAND.

He sat on my knee at evening,
The boy who is "half-past three,"
And the clear blue eyes from his sun-
browned face
Smiled happily up to me.
I held him close as the twilight fell,
And called him "my dear little son."
Then I said: "I have wondered for many
days
Where it is that my baby's gone!"

"Whom I rocked just as I do you,
I'd a baby once, in a long white gown,
His hair was soft as yellow silk,
And his eyes were like violets blue,
And his little hands were like pink-tipped
flowers—
See, yours are so strong and brown.
He has slipped away and is lost, I fear,
Do you know where my baby's gone?"

Did my voice half break as the thoughts
would come
Of the sweet and sacred days
When motherhood's first joys were mine?
Was a shade of regret on my face?
For close round my neck creeps a sturdy
arm,
And the boy who is "half-past three"
Said, "The baby—he went to Boyland,
And—didn't you know?—he's me!"
—North American.

THE LOCKED DOOR

"Milly, my pet," announced Frank Charters, as his wife met him in the hall for the homecoming kiss which is indispensable when one is only six months married, "I've just accomplished an act of pure Christian charity."

"That's just like my dear, big-hearted boy," responded the lady, linking a dainty arm affectionately in his, and pulling him into the dining room. "But what was it?"

"I've invited Dick Meldrum to stay with us for the holiday week-end," he said. "Poor chap! he would have had such a beastly depressing time of it. Good heavens, Milly! Aren't you well?"

The little woman was indeed very white, and gasping badly, as if for breath.

"You've invited Dick Meldrum—here?" she cried, as soon as she could articulate. "O Frank, how could you? He mustn't come—he can't, really!"

"Mustn't—can't!" exclaimed Mr. Charters, in some irritation. "But I tell you I've asked him! What's the meaning of all this fuss, Milly? What have you got against him?"

"Nothing—nothing—only— O. Frank, I have asked Ethel Cherton. I thought she would be so sad and lonely, and—"

"Well, of all the confounded, unheard-of—"

"O Frank, please don't swear."

"I wasn't swearing!" snapped the man who had so recently sworn to love and cherish an angel in human guise. "I hope"—with biting emphasis—"that I am equal to expressing my feelings in the presence of a lady without the aid of bad language. But, hang it all! Milly, what's to be done now? Why, those two haven't spoken to one another for nearly three months? How could you be so foolish?"

"Me, indeed!" retorted Milly, hotly. "I like your style! Why, I asked Ethel nearly a week ago. It is you who have been idiotic enough to ruin the whole thing."

"That's just like a woman!" returned Charters, witheringly. "Shifting all the blame on to somebody else! But the question is, what the deuce are we to do?"

"Do!" echoed Milly. "Why, you must put him off somehow. Say we've got whooping cough or measles or something in the house—anything, so long as he doesn't come."

"No, I am hanged if I do!" said her husband, indignantly. "You must make some excuse to Ethel, so that she postpones her visit."

"I shall certainly do nothing of the kind!" answered the lady warmly.

"Well, it is equally certain I shall not tell Dick to say away."

"Very good! Then I foresaw a most enjoyable week-end for all of us. Ethel won't speak a word to him, I'm sure. He was entirely too blame in the matter; and, from all I can gather, he behaved disgracefully to that poor girl."

"Nothing of the sort! Dick told me all about it, and Ethel was in fault from first to last."

The dinner party of the nature of a nightmare feast than a social gathering of friends. Charters and his wife studiously avoided speaking to each other, while their two guests seemed to be utterly unaware of each other's existence. When Charters spoke to Ethel, she answered him in monosyllables; and when Meldrum ventured to address his hostess, that lady was polite to a disagreeable degree. The end of the dinner was marked by absolute silence.

In the drawing room afterward it was, if possible, worse still; and Charters was scarcely surprised when his wife, under a pretext of giving some orders to the servants, escaped from the room. Her disappearance gave him what he thought was an inspiration, and watching his opportunity—when Ethel was poring over a postcard album, and Dick was assiduously examining some ancient china on the sideboard—he slipped by noiselessly and softly turned the key in the lock.

The two occupants of the drawing room were considerably embarrassed when they suddenly found themselves alone. Each, however, pretended to be oblivious of the fact. After a few moments Ethel closed the postcard album

and, having made sure that Meldrum's back was turned, crossed softly to the door. After turning the handle noiselessly once or twice, she returned to her perusal of the album, with startled eyes and a face of furious red.

A moment or two later, Dick Meldrum looked around cautiously and, seeing Ethel with her back toward him, still apparently absorbed in her book, thought it was a good opportunity for escape. He moved toward the door with great caution and his look of anger and astonishment on finding it locked changed to one of embarrassment at the thought of his unfortunate position. Instinctively, as he dropped into the nearest armchair, his eyes wandered to the dignified little figure at the farther side of the room. After a short contemplation of the bent golden head, a strange feeling of tenderness swept over him. That the fastening of the door was some trick of Charters to bring them together again, he could not doubt; but what would Ethel say if she knew? She would feel angry, hurt and embarrassed even as he was; and he could not bear to see her any of those things just now. No; at all costs he must keep from her the knowledge of that locked door.

Now, it is a characteristic of the majority that to be forced into doing a thing is intolerable, even if it is something one wants to do; and Dick Meldrum made up his mind there and then that the base instigators of the scheme should be thwarted of their purpose.

Of course, after what might be deemed a suitable interval, the door would be surreptitiously unlocked, and, in the meantime, he must use every endeavor to prevent Ethel from finding out that she was a prisoner.

That was his thought, and the only way to accomplish it, he judged, would be to endeavor to engage her in a formal conversation, so as to cover the suggestive absence of the Charterses. Accordingly, he launched himself without further delay on this doubtful enterprise.

"Our host and hostess seem to have deserted us," he remarked, in the most casual tone he could assume. "It takes some men a long time to find a box of matches. Perhaps I ought to go and hunt him up."

"I expect you would like to be going, too, old man?" said Charters, with great gravity. "The last train leaves just before 11, you know. So sorry you can't stay."

For answer Meldrum slipped his arm about Miss Cherton's waist, and drew her to his side.

"If it's all the same to you," he said, "we—we think we would rather stay; and I think we can promise them—what do you say, Ethel?—that we can prove better company than we have as yet to-night."

"Yes," whispered Miss Cherton, shyly, "I think we can."

"That's all right!" said Charters.

"Then we shall have a jolly week-end after all."

And they did.—Harry Shell in Spare Moments.

More than She Could Bear.

The shriek of the fire whistle had almost demoralized the sewing circle. All the ladies sprang up, pale and nervous at the general alarm. But as the whistle proclaimed the box,—one, two, three, four, five, six,—member after member sank into her chair with sighs of relief. Nobody lived in the Sixth district except Italians and other foreigners.

But two were still on their feet and then every one recollects that the old Cartright place was just inside the sixth. The two elderly spinsters, known yet to certain old inhabitants as the "Cartright Sisters," agitatedly took their leave.

"Let us wait calmly for the car," said Miss Esther, tremblingly resolute to keep her head.

"O sister, there's none in sight! We'd better walk—or run!" cried Miss Martha Louise, hysterically.

"My dear, we must be calm—"

"Oh, I know, Esther, but think of mother's lines and all father's sermons still in manuscript, and—"

"Martha Louise, worrying only makes things worse. We must—"

"And grandfather's clock and the china—oh, why did we leave Marietta with a gasoline stove, and ignorant foreigner like that?"

"Martha Louise, whatever confronts us, we must bear up. Remember, worrying only—"

And so it continued, as they flew along in the trolley car and then hurried along the rest of the way on foot. At the bottom of the big hill, with one accord the two palpitating old ladies leaned against the fence to catch their breath.

"We must be calm," began Miss Esther with the first "caught breath," "and bear up. Worry only—"

"Esther," broke out Miss Martha Louise, tearfully and with unswayed spirit, "I wish you'd let me alone—to-worry in peace. I can't help it!"

When finally the two stood panting on the hill and beheld the old home, steadily standing calm and smokeless, "bearing up," just as it had done for a century, they both promptly "broke down"—with thankfulness inexpressible.

"Esther," sobbed Martha Louise, regaining her speech, "I trust I didn't speak hastily to you, but if we ever do pass through a similar ordeal, I hope you—My strength is limited and I have to economize it, and the worry itself takes so much that if I must, in addition, bear up against it,—why, sister, it's almost beyond my endurance."

—Youth's Companion.

The Clarion of Victory.

Mrs. Raifence (at the supper table)—There's an auttymobile horn a-tootin' like mad.

Having turned the key in the lock,

Frank Charters fled noiselessly up the stairs to await developments. On the landing he came face to face with his wife.

"What are you doing? Have you gone mad?" she said sharply.

"Ssh!" was all he said, pointing downward into the hall.

The drawing room door had suddenly opened, and Meldrum and Miss Cherton issued forth, arm-in-arm.

Their looks were conscious, and, as they turned in the direction of the

kitchen, Meldrum bent his head and kissed her.

Mrs. Charters looked, and, although pleasantly surprised at the turn affairs had taken, she pretended to be utterly indifferent, and edged away from her husband.

"It was a capital thought of yours," said Charters, with admirable tact.

"What?" said the little woman, surprised out of herself.

"Shutting them up together," said her husband. "I cleared out of it myself directly after you left. Trust a woman to think of the right thing!"

Milly stared vacantly, and then smiled sweetly. She looked up at her husband, and put her head on one side knowingly.

"It was so dreadful, you know, Frank," she said. "I couldn't bear them to treat each other so."

"Disgraceful!" he agreed, stealing an arm round her waist. "We have taught them to follow a good example to-night—eh, Milly?"

"Oh, Frank, dear—don't!" cried Milly, trembling suddenly on the verge of tears. "I've been a horrid little wretch to-night, I know, and I'm sorry—I am indeed! But it wasn't all my fault. You've been cross, too, haven't you?"

"I've been a brute!" he declared, kissing her. "But that's all done with now. Let's go down and congratulate them."

"I don't want to detain you, Ethel, dear," said Mrs. Charters, the quartet having suddenly foregathered in the hall. "You know I love to have you; but if you would rather be going—"

Miss Cherton, who had hastily withdrawn her arm from Meldrum's on the sudden appearance, hung her head and blushed.

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More than She Could Bear.

The shriek of the fire whistle had almost demoralized the sewing circle. All the ladies sprang up, pale and nervous at the general alarm. But as the whistle proclaimed the box,—one, two, three, four, five, six,—member after member sank into her chair with sighs of relief. Nobody lived in the Sixth district except Italians and other foreigners.

But two were still on their feet and then every one recollects that the old Cartright place was just inside the sixth. The two elderly spinsters, known yet to certain old inhabitants as the "Cartright Sisters," agitatedly took their leave.

"Let us wait calmly for the car," said Miss Esther, tremblingly resolute to keep her head.

"O sister, there's none in sight! We'd better walk—or run!" cried Miss Martha Louise, hysterically.

"My dear, we must be calm—"

"Oh, I know, Esther, but think of mother's lines and all father's sermons still in manuscript, and—"

"Martha Louise, worrying only makes things worse. We must—"

"And grandfather's clock and the china—oh, why did we leave Marietta with a gasoline stove, and ignorant foreigner like that?"

"Martha Louise, whatever confronts us, we must bear up. Remember, worrying only—"

And so it continued, as they flew along in the trolley car and then hurried along the rest of the way on foot. At the bottom of the big hill, with one accord the two palpitating old ladies leaned against the fence to catch their breath.

"We must be calm," began Miss Esther with the first "caught breath," "and bear up. Worry only—"

"Esther," broke out Miss Martha Louise, tearfully and with unswayed spirit, "I wish you'd let me alone—to-worry in peace. I can't help it!"

When finally the two stood panting on the hill and beheld the old home, steadily standing calm and smokeless, "bearing up," just as it had done for a century, they both promptly "broke down"—with thankfulness inexpressible.

"Esther," sobbed Martha Louise, regaining her speech, "I trust I didn't speak hastily to you, but if we ever do pass through a similar ordeal, I hope you—My strength is limited and I have to economize it, and the worry itself takes so much that if I must, in addition, bear up against it,—why, sister, it's almost beyond my endurance."

—Youth's Companion.

The Clarion of Victory.

Mrs. Raifence (at the supper table)—There's an auttymobile horn a-tootin' like mad.

Having turned the key in the lock,

Frank Charters fled noiselessly up the stairs to await developments. On the landing he came face to face with his wife.

"What are you doing? Have you gone mad?" she said sharply.

"Ssh!" was all he said, pointing downward into the hall.

The drawing room door had suddenly opened, and Meldrum and Miss Cherton issued forth, arm-in-arm.

Their looks were conscious, and, as they turned in the direction of the

Smiles of the Day

Not an Up-to-Date Church.

Two colored sisters living in a suburban town met on the street one day and Sister Washington, who had recently joined the church, was describing her experiences.

"It was a capital thought of yours," said Charters, with admirable tact.

"What?" said the little woman, surprised out of herself.

"Shutting them up together," said her husband. "I cleared out of it myself directly after you left. Trust a woman to think of the right thing!"

Milly stared vacantly, and then smiled sweetly. She looked up at her husband, and put her head on one side knowingly.

"It was so dreadful, you know, Frank," she said. "I couldn't bear them to treat each other so."

"Disgraceful!" he agreed, stealing an arm round her waist. "We have taught them to follow a good example to-night—eh, Milly?"

"Oh, Frank, dear—don't!" cried Milly, trembling suddenly on the verge of tears. "I've been a horrid little wretch to-night, I know, and I'm sorry—I am indeed! But it wasn't all my fault. You've been cross, too, haven't you?"

"I've been a brute!" he declared, kissing her. "But that's all done with now. Let's go down and congratulate them."

"I don't want to detain you, Ethel, dear," said Mrs. Charters, the quartet having suddenly foregathered in the hall. "You know I love to have you; but if you would rather be going—"

Miss Cherton, who had hastily withdrawn her arm from Meldrum's on the sudden appearance

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FROM A SCIENTIFIC MAN.

Views Which Rightfully Belong to the World's Dreamers.

Sir Oliver Lodge, who is the president of a large university in Birmingham, England, is also a great electrician and as hard-headed a scientific man as lives, says an editorial writer on a big American newspaper. No able physicist is today at work. His mind is trained, he is keen, he knows a fact when he sees it and he has no religious bias.

From such men one usually expects and gets complete blank incredulity in regard to any possible communication with other minds in any but the received normal way. As to communication with those we call "dead," most men of his training, character, experience and eminence declare it unthinkable.

Yet in a recent article Sir Oliver Lodge—knighted for great scientific discovery—says of the efforts of the Society for Psychological Research to communicate with the other world:

The boundary between the two states, the known and unknown, is still substantial, but it is wearing thin in places and, like excavators engaged in boring a tunnel from opposite ends, amid the roar of water and other noises, we are beginning to hear, now and again, the strokes of the pickaxes of our comrades on the other side."

This extreme and astounding prediction is based on this fact and logic. "Telepathy," Sir Oliver Lodge looks on as proved. Living mind communicates with living mind across intervening space.

Still more, one living mind has used another living mind, unconscious and unaware of the use to which it is put, to express a thought or to give information, or to respond to a stimulus, as drawing an object seen by one person and drawn by another at a distance.

In the opinion of this scientist and mathematician, one of the two or three greatest living today, this is proved. Since this is proved it is clear that what we call an individual can transmit a message through and by using the mind, brain, nerves and muscles of another. If this can be done by the "living" at a distance, it is scientific ceaselessly to experiment to learn, if it can be done by the "dead." The one supreme difficulty is of proving identity, the identity of the intelligence showing itself with an intelligence once "living" and now "dead."

These experiments Lodge believes have reached a point where, as will be seen from the quotation made, he expects success. Remembering "Katie King," "Mrs. Piper" and a score more, most sensible men and women will rather expect proof that another physicist has gone wrong than that his predictions come right.

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"I give ith up, William. What is the difference between a boy putting salt in his father's coffee and a pugilist landing a knockout blow?"

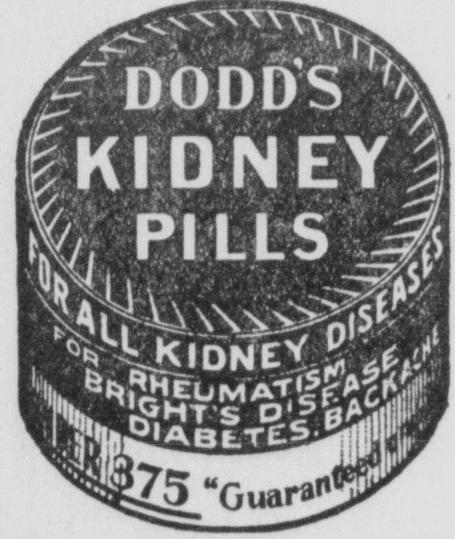
"De one am a joke on de paw an' de uddah am a poke on de jaw."

"Ladies and gentlemen, the celebrated tenor, Prof. Spizerinctum Bang, will now sing that matchless ballad, 'Mamma, My Dream of Happiness Is Over; George Eats Limburger Cheese.'—Chicago Tribune.

Righteons Resentment.

"You may put that back in the show case!" said the indignant Mrs. Lapsling to the milliner. "I wouldn't even wear, much less buy, a hat named in honor of that horrid murderer, Charlotte Corday!"

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for what it is worth, that on a certain occasion the king was closeted with an ambassador, a persona grata. One of the King's friends called and desired to see his majesty, but was told: "You cannot disturb his majesty; he is engaged with an ambassador on his right and his canary on his left."—London Globe.

Accidental School Teacher.

Stephen A. Douglas, who is now chiefly remembered as the rival of Abraham Lincoln, was, when the rivals met in joint debate fifty years ago, the center of a national interest. He was born in Vermont, but after removing to New York, and before finishing his academic course, he started for the West. His money was not sufficient for the needs of his journey, and he reached Jacksonville, Ill., with only 50 cents. At Winchester, ten miles away, writes Prof. Allen Johnson in his biography of Douglas, a school teacher was needed, and hearing of this, the youth set forth on foot for Winchester.

Accident, happily turned to his profit, served to introduce him to the townspeople of Winchester. The morning after his arrival he found a crowd in the public square, and learned that an auction sale of personal effects was about to take place. Every one was eager for the sale to begin. But a clerk to keep record of the sales and to draw the notes was wanting.

The eye of the administrator fell upon Douglass. [He then spelled his name with double s.] Something in the youth's appearance gave assurance that he could "cipher." The impatient bystanders "lured that he might do," so he was given a trial.

Douglas proved equal to the task, and in two days was in possession of five dollars for his work.

Through the good will of the village storekeeper, who also hailed from Vermont, Douglass was presented to several citizens who wished to see a school opened in town, and he soon had a subscription list of forty scholars, each of whom paid three dollars for three months' tuition. He found lodgings under the roof of this same friendly compatriot, the village storekeeper, who gave him the use of a small room adjoining the storeroom. Here Douglass spent his evenings, devoting some hours to his law books and perhaps more to comfortable chats with his host and talkative neighbors round the stove.

For diversion he had the weekly meetings of the Lyceum, which had just been formed. He owed much to this institution, for the debates and discussions gave him chance to convert the traditional leadership, which fell to him as village schoolmaster, into a real leadership of talent and ready wit. The editor of the Monticello (Iowa) Express made a trip through Western Canada last August, and was greatly impressed. He says: "One cannot cross Western Canada to the mountains without being impressed with its immensity of territory and its future prospects. Where I expected to find frontier villages there were substantially built cities and towns with every modern convenience. It was formerly supposed that the climate was too severe for it to be thought of as an agricultural country, but its wheat-growing possibilities have been amply tested. We drew from Ontario many of our best farmers and most progressive citizens. Now the Americans are emigrating in greater numbers to Western Canada. Seventy-five per cent of the settlers in that good country located southeast of Moose Jaw and Regina are Americans. Canada is well pleased with them and is ready to welcome thousands more."

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We all know that there is one pane of glass for the rich and another for the poor, known respectively as plate and sheet glass. And while both have essentially the same composition, they differ greatly in the purity of the materials used and the method of manufacture.

Until a few years ago sheet glass—the window pane of the multitude—had its origin to the blower's breath. But in 1903 John H. Lubbers of Allegheny, Pa., invented a window glass blowing machine which was described as "the newest marvel in the industrial affairs of this country."

And now another Pennsylvanian, Irving W. Colburn, of Franklin, Pa., has gone one better and perfected—at a cost of \$200,000—a machine which makes glass without blowing it at all—turns it out in a continuous sheet and enables one man and two boys to efficiently perform the work of thirteen skilled mechanics.—Technical World Magazine.

"I shall never read that stuff to any one more," said the mother, firmly.

"Why not? Only day before yesterday you were saying what excellent recommendations 'Peggy' made about crying children. Why do you desert her?"

"I'll tell you, Tom," she said. "I had meant not to say a word about it because it is so humiliating. But now you've spoken—well, I might as well confess. The paper yesterday said something I didn't quite understand, and as I was down town, I thought I'd just run into the office and ask Peggy what she meant. So I did. The office boy smiled when I asked for Peggy, but he took me up a lot of dirty stairs, and then pointed to a door. I knocked, and a voice answered, 'Come in!'"

"Well?" queried her husband.

"Well, there isn't any 'Peggy!' Not a woman at all, but a perfectly horrid, grinning man, smoking a cigar! He writes that advice—a man! What do you think of that, Tom?"

Mrs. Quincy paused in her indignation.

"I thought you found the advice good, as a rule," he objected.

"Tom Quincy! How could a man in a newspaper office write good advice to mothers? I am surprised! You men think you know everything."

Pets of Monarchs.

Most of the European sovereigns, according to a Paris contemporary, have a love for animals. The bassets of the Kaiser are famous. The King of Spain is a lover of horses, while King Leopold's hobby is his fowls. King Edward, we learn, has a favorite canary which likes to fly about and perch on his majesty's hand. Our contemporary proceeds to tell a story which we give

Difference of Opinion.

"Satan come lak' a roarin' lion, don't he?"

"No, suh," replied Brother Dickey, "I don't 'gree wid you on dat, kase I never knewed he wuz comin' 'twel he had me!"—Atlanta Constitution.

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To the Editor—Sir: Doubtless many of your readers will be pleased to have some word from the grain fields of Western Canada, where such a large number of Americans have made their home during the past few years. It is pleasing to be able to report that generally the wheat yield has been good; it will average about twenty bushels to the acre. There will be many cases where the yield will go thirty-five bushels to the acre, and others where fifty bushels to the acre has been recorded. The oat and barley crop has been splendid. The prices of all grains will bring to the farmers a magnificent return for their labors. An instance has been brought to my notice of a farmer in the Pincher Creek (Southern Alberta) district, where winter wheat is grown, who made a net profit of \$19.55 an acre, or little less than the selling price of his land. Thirty, forty and fifty bushels yields are recorded there. The beauty about the lands in Western Canada is that they are so well adapted to grain-raising, while the luxuriant grasses that grow everywhere in abundance makes the best possible feed for fattening cattle or for those used for dairying purposes.

The new homestead regulations which went into force September, 1908, attracted thousands of new settlers. It is now possible to secure 160 acres in addition to the 160 acres as a free grant, by paying \$3 an acre for it. Particulars as to how to do this and as to the railway rates can be secured from the Canadian Government agents.

The development throughout Western Canada during the next ten years will probably exceed that of any other country in the world's history, is not the statement of an optimistic Canadian from the banks of the Saskatchewan, but of Mr. Leslie M. Shaw, of New York, ex-Secretary of the United States Treasury, under the late President McKinley and President Roosevelt, and considered one of the ablest financiers of the United States. "Our railway companies sold a good deal of their land at from three to five dollars an acre, and now the owners are selling the same land at from fifty to seventy-five dollars, and buying more up in Canada at from ten to fifteen."

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BODIES THROWN INTO HOLE

In Some Manner a Spark Was Communicated to a Leaking Gas Main in a Street Excavation and a Disastrous Explosion Occurred—Many Bodies Not Yet Recovered.

New York, Nov. 21.—Twenty-five persons are believed to have lost their lives in an explosion of gas which tore up a great section of Gold street, Brooklyn, yesterday. It is definitely known that fifteen persons were buried under the hundreds of tons of earth and timber that were thrown into the air by the explosion, and ten more persons are reported as missing. The exact number of dead cannot be determined, for those working to recover the entombed bodies must dig through fifty feet of rock and a tangle of pipes and timbers. The explosion occurred in a fifty-foot deep excavation that had been made in Gold street between York and Front streets, where a water main was being laid. The gas main recently sprung a leak and in a manner unknown, a spark came in contact with escaping gas. Immediately there was a terrific explosion that lifted the surface of the street for half a block in both directions and hurled dirt, paving stones and debris into the air. When the smoke and dust cleared away it was seen that the street had been opened from doorstep to doorstep, over an area of nearly a block. The loosened earth and debris had fallen into the excavation, burying the score of laborers who were at work when the accident happened. Great tongues of flames shot out of crevices in the street and beside them geysers of water leaped into the air from a water main that had been shattered. Gold street was crowded with school children when the explosion occurred and that scores of children were not killed or injured is remarkable. A woman and three children were almost opposite the excavation when the earth crumbled under their feet and they were swept down into the hole under tons of wreckage. Two other children were on the opposite side of the street when the sidewalk caved in and they lost their lives. Samuel Trout, foreman of the gang of laborers who were laying the water main, was near the woman and three children, who lost their lives. He rushed forward as he felt the street tremble from the explosion, in an endeavor to save them, but he too, was drawn into the death hole. His body was the first to be recovered. Trout had been roasted to a cinder. Only four of the men working in the excavation escaped, and their escape was remarkable. These men were digging near the opening of a four-foot sewer and the force of the explosion blew them to the entrance of it. Water from the broken main began to pour into the sewer and the four men, in danger of being drowned, started to run toward the river where there was an outlet to the sewer. One of them tells of their experiences as follows:

"Our only chance was in reaching the outlet to the sewer and we ran toward the river. It was all dark and we stumbled and fell over things that had been left behind by workmen. The river was three blocks away. By the time we reached the river the water was up to our waists. We found a bulwark there that had been built to keep the water from coming in while the sewer was being built. We climbed to the top of this and from the top reached the pier. The water had reached our chins before we got out."

The explosion shook houses for blocks around. Thousands of persons were attracted to the scene and the police had difficulty in keeping the people from crowding too close to the smoking pit of wreckage.

Chicago Loses Damage Suit.

Ottawa, Ill., Nov. 21.—The appellate court today affirmed the decision in the lower courts in the case of the \$100,000 judgment secured against the city of Chicago by the Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis Railway company as a result of damage to its property during the strike and rioting of 1894 made memorable by the clash of federal authority, represented by the late President Cleveland and state authority championed by the late Governor Altgeld. The railroad company brought suit against the city for \$377,000 damages.

Over a Million and a Half.

Chicago, Nov. 21.—After an examination of the various documents in the office of Peter Van Vlissengen, convicted forger of mortgages on his own confession, William C. Niblack, vice president of the Chicago Title & Trust company, receiver for the Van Vlissengen properties, declared that the forgeries amount to \$1,539,423.89.

Appointed Second Lieutenant.

Washington, Nov. 21.—Marley Lawton, a son of the late Maj. Gen. Henry W. Lawton has been appointed second lieutenant of the Philippine scouts and ordered to Ft. Thomas, Ky.

WOULD HAVE NEW LAW.

Mr. Faulkner Wants a System of Registration of Voters.

Indianapolis, Nov. 21.—The list of entries for the speakership was increased today when Representative John H. Faulkner, of Michigan City, announced that he will be a candidate. Mr. Faulkner is the Tenth district representative of the Democrats so far as the house is concerned. He publishes one of the leading Democratic newspapers in northern Indiana and is a business man of wide experience. His friends feel that he is well qualified for the speakership. He proposes to make an aggressive fight. Mr. Faulkner came here to investigate the election laws governing the naturalization of foreigners. He says that several thousand foreigners were voted illegally by the Republicans in Lake, Laporte and St. Joseph counties. He proposes to put a stop to the practice of naturalizing foreigners who are not entitled to their papers by introducing a registration law.

He would provide for two registration days, one ninety days before the election and the other forty-five.

This would give both parties ample opportunity to investigate the standing of the voters.

Two years ago a similar bill was defeated. Inasmuch as the Democrats have charged for several years that they were defeated because the Republicans corrupted the elections, Mr. Faulkner may have a chance to get his bill through. The candidates for the speakership besides Faulkner are Representatives Strickland, Honan, Garrard and Behymer.

Albert Lieber, president of the Indianapolis Brewing company, and Crawford Fairbanks, president of the Terre Haute Brewing company, who returned last night from a brewers' meeting in Chicago, declared today that it is the intention of the brewers to keep hands off in the race for the United States senatorship. Neither will they take a hand in the fight for the speakership of the house of representatives, according to Mr. Lieber. Considerable interest has been manifested in the Chicago meeting. Both Fairbanks and Lieber denied that the Chicago meeting will have any bearing on the senatorial situation. Besides Lieber, Fairbanks and Bell, Maurice Donnelly of the Terre Haute Brewing company and State Senator Stephen B. Fleming of Ft. Wayne, who holds large brewery interests, were present at the Chicago meeting.

None of the candidates for the speakership or the senate have been able to get much of a line on what the Democratic members propose to do. Only a few members have been here since the election and none of the candidates for the senate have opened headquarters.

John W. Kern, senatorial candidate, has been out of the running for three days because of a severe attack of acute indigestion which has confined him to his bed.

Birth on Train.

Lafayette, Ind., Nov. 21.—Passengers in a Pullman coach on the eastbound Wabash Continental Limited were a happy lot while the train was speeding between Danville, Ill., and this city, for into their midst came the proverbial stork. Mrs. John Mullen, of Ft. Wayne, giving birth to a daughter. A purse was made up to buy the baby a present. The father of the child was with the mother. They were returning to their home in Ft. Wayne from a visit in Oklahoma. Mr. Mullen is a fireman on the Wabash.

Saved the Distillery.

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 21.—Decisive action by the employees of the Mellwood Distillery company saved one of the biggest distilleries in the world from destruction by fire. As it was, fire destroyed the cattle pens, entailing a loss of \$20,000. Several employees were injured while trying to close the windows of the warehouses, which were on fire several times.

Struck by Engine.

Carthage, Ind., Nov. 21.—Charles Kennedy, age forty-five, one of the rural mail carriers in this county, was instantly killed by a Big Four engine in the northwest part of town. The engine and a caboose were passing rapidly, and struck the horse, killing it, demolishing the buggy and killing the driver.

Platform Fell With Girls.

Dayton, O., Nov. 21.—A platform bearing over 100 girls employed at the Mercantile Co-operative plant in this city, collapsed while the young women were being photographed, precipitating its burden to the ground. Fourteen were more or less injured but all escaped death and but three were seriously hurt.

An Important Innovation.

Chicago, Nov. 21.—The American Railway association has announced that it has officially approved of the substitution of the telephone for the telegraph for the blocking and dispatching of trains. The association declares that the telephone has many advantages over the telegraph.

Hoosier Lad Wins.

Dayton, O., Nov. 21.—Roy Bronson of Indianapolis was given the decision over Kid Goodman of Boston before the Dayton Gymnastic club last night. Both men were on their feet as the gong rang at the end of the twentieth round, but the Hoosier lad had clearly demonstrated his superiority.

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Testimony For Defense Now on In Gunness Case.

PROGRESS OF NOTED TRIAL

Excellent Progress Being Made by Attorneys for Ray Lamphere in Introducing Testimony—As Yet No Proposition Advanced by Attorney Worden in His Opening Statement Has Been Followed Up.

Laporte, Ind., Nov. 21.—In the trial of Ray Lamphere, charged with the murder of Mrs. Belle Gunness and her three children, the first witness was called by the defense yesterday. Excellent progress was made in the amount of testimony placed before the jury, but aside from the two witnesses showing that the fire at the Gunness home occurred at 3 o'clock in the morning, no proposition advanced by Attorney Worden in his opening statement was followed up.

Dr. George Wasser, who was called as an expert, was shown the teeth, bridge work, etc., introduced by the state and identified as having come from the mouth of Mrs. Belle Gunness and was asked: "In your opinion was this piece of tooth ever covered by the crown in the other set of teeth?" to which the witness replied: "If it did cover this tooth it was an awful misfit."

Mrs. George Wright, living two miles southeast of the Gunness place, testified that she saw the fire from her house, just as the clock struck three. She could tell that it came up in the center of the brick part.

The trunk mystery was brought into the limelight by the defense when it called State's Attorney Smith to the stand and asked him regarding a trip which he and Roy Marr made to the Warwick place to get Lamphere's trunk after Lamphere's arrest. He told the story and admitted that it was taken to his office, where it was examined.

John Yorkey a hackman, testified that he took Prosecutor Smith and Deputy Marr to the Warwick place and the trunk was brought back to town.

William C. Weir, an undertaker testified to visiting the scene of the fire on the day of the fire and seeing a five-gallon can in the cellar. The can was empty and the solder melted away. The defense then recalled Joseph Maxson, the hired man, who testified that on the evening before the fire he placed the oil can in the hallway at the end of the stairway in the frame part. After the fire it was found in the cellar.

DROPPED A MATCH.

Husband Caused Fire in Wagon, Fatal by Burning Wife.

Mt. Vernon, Ind., Nov. 21.—Mrs. Jennie Smith, wife of Marion Smith, a well-known farmer of Center township, was burned to death in a wagon in which she was riding home with her husband.

Mrs. Smith was sitting in the bottom of the wagon bed on a pile of straw. After striking a match to light his pipe, Mr. Smith accidentally dropped the match in the straw. Before Mrs. Smith could get out of the wagon her clothing caught fire and began to burn rapidly. Her husband was unable to extinguish the flames. Mrs. Smith was fatally burned, and after lingering in great agony for a few hours she died. She leaves a husband and several children.

Deputy's Heart Failed Him.

Muncie, Ind., Nov. 21.—Although Deputy Sheriff Thomas Kiger was armed with all the necessary papers for taking into legal custody the two children of Mrs. Minnie Dunkin, who had been declared by the circuit court unfit to rear the children, the officer did not take them. Kiger found the two children, one a mere infant, clinging to their mother's skirts, and the woman hysterical at the thought of losing them. The deputy sheriff tried to reason with the woman, but he did so in a half-hearted way and then left the house with the children still in the woman's possession, while he made a report to Judge Leffler. "You didn't obey the orders of the court?" asked the judge with an attempt at severity. "I can give up my job," said Kiger. "Well, you needn't," said the court. "I'll hear more evidence in this case before I do anything further."

Dry Stream Full of Water.

Columbus, Ind., Nov. 21.—John Scheible, of the Lowell neighborhood, reports that Possum creek, on his farm, has suddenly become full of water. The creek was as dry as the proverbial bone last week, but now it has plenty of water in it and there has not been a drop of rain. There has also been a six-inch rise in White river within the last few weeks without any rain.

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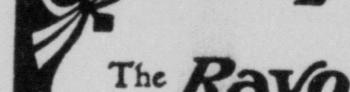


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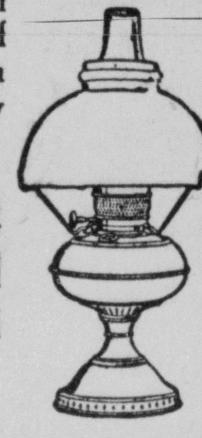
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